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INSPECTION REPORT

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Customer ID: 2468
Certificate: 52-C-0035

Site: 001
NATURAL BRIDGE ZOO

Inspection
Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION
Date: MAY-12-2005

3.84 (a) REPEAT NCI

CLEANING, SANITIZATION, HOUSEKEEPING, AND PEST CONTROL.

CLEANING OF PRIMARY ENCLOSURES "Excreta and food waste must be removed from inside each indoor primary enclosure daily and from underneath them as often as necessary to prevent an excessive accumulation of feces and food waste."

***The wire front of the indoor capuchin enclosure (in the lemur house) has an accumulation of waste that needs to be removed. This non-compliant item was first noted on the inspection report dated 23 April 2003.

3.125 (a) REPEAT NCI

FACILITIES, GENERAL.

STRUCTURAL STRENGTH "The facility must be constructed of such material and of such strength as appropriate for the animals involved. The indoor and outdoor housing facilities shall be structurally sound and shall be maintained in good repair to protect the animals from injury and to contain the animals."

***The pasture fencing at the zebra farm is still in a state of disrepair. It is known that ostriches have been escaping from the pasture indicating that zebras or other mammals might also be able to escape. The fencing must be repaired or replaced.

3.127 (d) REPEAT NCI

FACILITIES, OUTDOOR.

PERIMETER FENCE " All outdoor housing facilities must be enclosed by a perimeter fence that ..can function as a secondary containment system for the animals in the facility."

***The ostrich farm and zebra farm still do not have a perimeter fence. A variance cannot be granted while animals are still escaping at the zebra farm. The extended correction date was 8 January 2005.

NOTE: The following areas were inspected: The zebra farm, the ostrich farm, the petting area, the food preparation area, the marmoset building, the bird and primate building, the lemur night house. The following activites were observed: elephant rides, asiatic bear cub photos with the public.

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